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OUR CITY POLITICS.

The busy tongue of political agitation wags on. Events transpire, and new developments occur from day to day, disclosing the animus and real character of men in high position. Public delusion subsides, misplaced confidence is revealed, and men take new soundings with a determination to ascertain the right position and declare the truth whatever the result may be.

This may be seen in city politics, where public attention is especially attractive just now, in view of the canvass for city officers that is going on.

The Bowen-Cook wing of the Republican party "keep marching on" in the same unfriendly, self seeking, equivocating, ostracising style, which has heretofore marked their course. An arbitrary, determined, vindictive system of tactics, seems to be the supreme idea of the ring, and hence antagonism rises to a corresponding degree of vitality and force. Such unmistakeable, "dyed-in-the-wool" Republicans as Crossman, Kelsey, Crane, Hatton, Emery and Richards will not quietly subside at the bidding of such masters. Intelligent men of all parties sympathize with the latter, and, in so far as they represent the general public demand for reform in city politics, they have their confidence and support.

But all this is not without its use. Agitation springs up on every side, and discussion ventilates and brings to light the corrupt and crafty operations of the City Hall ring: so that in the end good will be accomplished, and reform will work its way to the seats of power and trust. All that is needed is that all good citizens come to the front and assert themselves in public. Let them speak out and identify themselves in public action upon the side of reform and the common welfare. Let the public frown down the demagogues and placemen, who hang on to the public offices only to gratify their own selfish ends. We have had enough of them. They have been found wanting. Let better men take their places.

MR. CHIEF JUSTICE CHASE is assailed for inconsistency with his previous record as Secretary of the Treasury in his late decision against the constitutionality (in part) of the legal tender act. The inconsistency exists chiefly in the imaginations of people who occupy themselves in attempting to prove that abstract propositions must be wrong because officers who now believe them once believed something different. In point of fact, Mr. Chase, when Secretary of the Treasury, put on record in an official communication to Congress precisely the opinion which he now defends, 1862: "The Secretary recommends, therefore, no more paper money scheme, but, on the contrary, a series of measures looking to a safe and gradual return to gold and silver as the only permanent basis standard and measure of values recognized by the Constitution, between which and an irredeemable paper currency, as he believes, the choice is now to be made."

THE BILL now before the Senate for the erection of a market-house has been so amended by the committee as to be free from its former objectionable features. It will probably be acted upon in the Senate to-day. In its present shape it should pass. The Corporation will receive a large sum each year from it and a handsome public improvement will be made.

Annexation of San Domingo—Gen. Butler's Bill.

The following is the bill prepared by Mr. Butler in relation to the annexation of San Domingo, and which he has several times endeavored to introduce in the House:

Resolved, &c., That Congress doth consent that the territory properly included within and rightfully belonging to the Dominican Republic may become a part of the United States, to be called the Territory of Dominica, with the consent of the existing Government thereof, and the assent of the people expressed through a vote of the people of said territory: *Provided*, That said Dominican Government shall renounce all rights of sovereignty as an independent sovereign nation and cede those rights to the United States, with its territory, to be incorporated as an integral portion of the United States, subject to the same rules and regulations as their other Territories: *And provided further*, That in such cession the absolute fee and property shall be vested in all the public buildings, fortifications, forts, harbors, navy, navy yards, magazines, arms and armaments, equipments, archives and public documents, and all the property and rights of property of said Dominican Republic.

SEC. 2. That the citizens of the Dominican Republic shall, with their own assent, as is hereinbefore set forth, become citizens of the United States, dwelling in one of its Territories, and shall be maintained and protected in the full enjoyment of liberty and property as such citizens, and that said territory may be admitted into the Union as a State, or part of a State, upon such terms and conditions and at such time as Congress shall provide by law.

SEC. 3. That the United States shall pay the sum of $1,850,779 00 in gold coin of the United States, or so much thereof as may be necessary to liquidate in a manner conformable to the laws of said Republic, such debts of said Dominican Republic as may be found justly due by a commission to be appointed jointly by the two Governments, which shall be in full consideration of the cession of said territory and other property by said Dominican Republic: *Provided*, that the United States shall not be liable for any public debt of said Dominican Republic in excess of said amount.

SOME time since the findings of a court martial were set aside on account of the accused having been allowed to testify in his own behalf. The practice having obtained in some of the States, it was thought the right should extend to army courts martial. In reference to this subject, the following order has just been issued by the War Department:

Upon the question of admitting the testimony in their own behalf, of parties accused before a court martial, the Judge Advocate General of the Army has given the opinion "That no authority, less or other than that of Congress, would be competent to introduce into the law governing the proceedings of courts martial so grave and fundamental an innovation."

Concurring in this opinion, the Secretary of War directs that, except in the usual form of "Defence," which persons on trial are permitted to submit, but under oath, the testimony of accused persons shall not be taken in their own cases before courts martial.

COMMISSIONER DELANO has addressed letters to the revenue officials in Chicago, St. Louis, Cincinnati, New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore with the view of getting definite information concerning the process of manufacturing Weiss beer, the question having been submitted whether it is a fermented beer, and subject to the requirements of the revenue law.

THERE are over 700 Masonic lodges in the State of New York, which boast a resident membership of over 100,000 persons.

(Correspondence of the Republican.)

Letter from Staunton, Virginia.

STAUNTON, VA., April 4, 1870.

MR. EDITOR: Probably a short note from this "Mountain City" may be of some interest to the numerous readers of your excellent paper.

Staunton is the county seat of Augusta, contains a population of over 5,000, and is quite a market for the produce of the country adjacent. There are three female colleges located here, belonging to the Protestant Episcopal, Methodist Episcopal South and Presbyterian churches, and there are a Baptist, Lutheran, Catholic, Methodist Episcopal South, P. Episcopal, Methodist Episcopal, and African Methodist (or Bethelites) and Presbyterian churches, each supplied with faithful and earnest pastors. Two hotels, the American and Virginia. The "Virginia" is kept by Messrs. Frazier & Sale, late of the Rockbridge Alum, and a better house is not easily found. Captain Sale knows how to make his guests feel home-like. His clerks and servants are all that could be desired.

There are located here a Lunatic Asylum and Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institution, which are an honor to the town and State. What will be pleasing to the young men and bachelors, there are quite a number of beautiful young ladies. Staunton, taken all in all, is a pleasant place; *some men are rather bitter toward the North, but they are not of the fighting men of the war*—at least such is the information given a REPUBLICAN.

CANAL NEWS.—Information has been received that sand-bars, formed by the recent high water upon the feeder levels of the Williamsport and Antietam divisions of the canal, would be removed by the 5th instant.

A letter from Mr. Masters, division superintendent, dated at Williamsport, states that loaded boats passed that point at 4 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, 5th instant.

Eighteen boats, laden with 1,855 tons of Cumberland coal and 100 tons Virginia gas coal, cleared yesterday.

A boat designed for freighting stone from the Freestone Quarries on Seneca creek was built at the boat-yard of Mr. Frederick Mertons, and yesterday went forward loaded with coal. A considerable number of boats arrived at this port on yesterday.—*Cumberland Transcript, 7th.*

A NEW military dance is to be introduced at fancy dress balls. It resembles the Lancers, but has several more intricate marchings and countermarching. It is called L'Echelon.

Hats, Caps, Boots, and Shoes.

TO MAKE ROOM FOR AN IMMENSE SPRING STOCK,

STRASBURGER BROS.

WILL SELL

BOOTS, SHOES AND GAITERS

of all kinds, cheaper than the cheapest.

Give them a call at

906 SEVENTH STREET,

feb28-tf Old number 372, bet. I and K.

China Ware.

WEBB & BEVERIDGE,

ODD FELLOWS' HALL, Seventh street,

Are daily receiving the following goods:

Crockery and Glassware, best quality;

French China, of best and latest styles;

Glassware, all kinds, cheaper than before the war;

Plated Ware, new and beautiful designs;

Rogers' and American Cutlery.

Housekeepers are respectfully invited to examine our goods and prices.

All our goods are marked down to the lowest cash prices, and in no case will more be asked.

apr 2-6t* WEBB & BEVERIDGE.

Scales.

FAIRBANK'S SCALES.

The attention of

GROCERS AND BUTCHERS

is called to my large and complete assortment of

PLATFORM AND

Counter Scales,

Which will be sold at Low Prices, and quality warranted.

JOS. L. SAVAGE,

feb17-tf Penn. ave. and Tenth street.

AWNINGS

FOR STORES, CITY AND COUNTRY RESIDENCES, &c.

Manufactured and for sale by

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REFRIGERATORS.

BEST AND CHEAPEST IN THE CITY

AT THE STOVE WAREROOMS,

634 Pennsylvania Avenue.

Call and compare prices with other dealers, and satisfy yourself. H. L. GREGORY.

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Just Received

A LARGE LOT OF

ORNAMENTAL IRON WORK,

Consisting of

GARDEN VASES, FOUNTAINS, AQUARIUMS, SETTEES, CHAIRS, SALOON TABLES, &c.

Don't Forget, we sell the best Cooking Range in Market

THE BALTIMORE KITCHENER.

G. M. HAYWARD & CO.,

014 No. 61, and 1112 Louisiana avenue.

apl-tf Bet. Ninth and Seventh streets.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing between O'Hare and Timothy V. Noonan, doing business under the name and style of O'Hare & Noonan, at Nos. 6 and 8 Ninth street, between E and F streets west, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

The business will in future be conducted by Owen O'Hare, to whom all indebtedness must be paid, and to whom all claims against the late firm should be presented.

OWEN O'HARE.
TIM. V. NOONAN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 5, 1870. apr 5

SUMMER AND SPRING IMPORTATIONS. 1870.

MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS.

STAW GOODS IN GREAT VARIETY.

French Bonnets and Hats.

RIBBONS AND LACES.

A full line of MILLINERY and STRAW GOODS, to meet the requirements of the most fastidious ladies.

AT THE LOWEST CASH PRICES.

A. G. GANTON, Agent,

1323 F street,

a6-1m Between Twelfth and Thirteenth.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

The co-partnership heretofore existing by and between the undersigned, under the style of the Washington and Georgetown Ice Company, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Charles O. Gage will settle the affairs of the co-partnership, and is alone authorized to sign in liquidation.

JACOB HITTINGER,
ADDISON GAGE & CO.
By CHAS. O. GAGE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 5, 1870.

Mr. George W. Cochran is appointed my attorney to settle the affairs of the Washington and Georgetown Ice Company. All persons having demands against said company will present them for payment, and all persons indebted to the company are requested to make payment to him.

CHAS. O. GAGE.

WASHINGTON, April 4, 1870.

Mr. O. M. Somerville will act as my auctioneer under the above notice.

GEORGE W. COCHRAN.

WASHINGTON, April 4, 1870. (Star.)

AERATED BREAD.

Manufactured by D. B. Fuller, Baltimore.

Having secured the agency for the sale of this celebrated bread, I am prepared to furnish it to the citizens of Washington, fresh every day, at a reduced price. The bread is improved and now manufactured by Mr. Fuller will be found to be in all respects the best ever made.

For sale by grocers throughout the city.

Grocers, Hotels and Restaurants served daily. All orders left at the store of

C. E. ASSERMAN,

NO. 1008 F STREET,

will be promptly attended to. apr 5-6t

J. E. CONNOR.

THE

COLUMBIA YEAST POWDER

Composed of the most healthy ingredients, being free from all injurious drugs.

☞ Sold by all grocers in the city.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sep. 21, 1869.

I am fully acquainted with the constitution of the Columbia Yeast Powder. The proportions are well adapted for the efficient raising of the dough, and I consider it an improvement upon existing yeast powders.

THOMAS ANTISELL, M. D., Chemist.

☞ Manufactory 813 K street, between Eighth and Ninth. a13-1m

New Advertisements.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY AN ACTIVE man, (an old nurse-tender) employment of any kind; having lost all his means by the late war; can be useful at any sort of business. Good reference. Address Box No. 11 in this office. apr6-1f*

WANTED—A WHITE WET NURSE.—APPLY to Dr. W. P. JOHNSTON, No. 1307 P street, between the hours of 8 and 9:30 a. m. and 2 and 3 p. m. apr6-3t*

FOR SALE AT BARGAIN.—The last BUILDING LOT on the east side of Fourth street, between C and Boundary streets; size 90x70, to alley. Payments to suit. STAKE & CO.,

Northeast corner New York avenue and Fifteenth street.

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WANTED—BY A GENTLEMAN AND WIFE, two or three ROOMS, Furnished, located west of Twelfth street, east of Third street, and south of K street, northwest. Address, stating terms and particulars, "F," REPUBLICAN office. apr6-3t*

GRAND SHAD BAKE AND BALL AT GLYMONT,

MONDAY, April 18th, by the proprietor.

JOSEPH H. SHAFFIELD.

The fast and safe steamer C. P. Smith, Captain Martin, will leave Brown's wharf at 10 a. m. Returning, will leave Glymont at 6 p. m. Weber's Band has been engaged. Tickets, $1.50 for round-trip, including dinner, to be had at SHAFFIELD'S confectionery, 1325 Pennsylvania avenue, or at the boat. apr6 9t

BY COOPER & LATIMER, Auct'rs (Successors to James C. McGuire & Co.), Southwest corner of Pennsylvania avenue and Eleventh street.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

On MONDAY MORNING, April 11, at 10 o'clock, at No. 510 Eleventh street southeast, I shall sell the furniture, &c., consisting of Bedsteads, Bureaus and Washstands, Wardrobes, Chairs and Tables, Mattresses, Blankets and Comfor s, Crockery and Glassware, Cooking Stoves, Kitchen Requisites, &c. Terms: Cash.

SAMUEL CROSS, Executor.
COOPER & LATIMER, Auctioneers.

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PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

The undersigned have formed a limited partnership for BRICK-MAKING AND SELLING, at Marbelli's old brick yard, corner of New Jersey avenue, and south B street, under the name of "JOSEPH REICH & CO." Joseph Reich, the general partner, and John G. Myers, Henry Conradis and Charles Just are the special partners. Each of said partners has contributed the sum of $5,000 in cash to the common stock. The partnership is to terminate on the 6th day of August A. D. 1872.

JOSEPH REICH,
JOHN G. MYERS,
HENRY CONRADIS,
CHARLES JUST.

April 6, 1870. apr6 eotw

CHARLES F. MOORE & CO.,

APOTHECARIES,

Pennsylvania Avenue, corner of Seventeenth street

The subscribers having purchased the Drug Store recently occupied by BROWN & MOORE, would respectfully call attention to their fresh stock of PURE DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PHARMACEUTICAL PREPARATIONS, and STANDARD PATENT MEDICINES.

Also, a fine assortment of TOILET ARTICLES, PERFUMERY and TOOTH BRUSHES, SOAPS, POMADES, &c., &c.

Pure Wines and Liquors for medicinal purposes. A constant supply of all the articles usually found in a first-class Drug Store.

Personal attention given to the compounding of Physicians' Prescriptions

CHAS. F. MOORE & CO.

Pennsylvania avenue, corner of Seventeenth st. apl 2t

PROPOSALS FOR GRADING AND GRAVELING.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, WASHINGTON, D. C., April 6, 1870.

Sealed Proposals will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., on MONDAY, 18th instant, to Grade and Gravel Twenty-fifth street between Pennsylvania avenue and Rock creek.

It does not state the price per cubic yard for grading, and the price per square yard for graveling. Grading to be paid for only one way, either in excavation or filling—that is when the cut or fill carries earth to be deposited where the Commissioner of the First ward may direct.

The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

Bids must be accompanied by a written guarantee of a responsible citizen of this city that if such bids be accepted the bidder will enter into contract for the performance of the work.

apr6 3t&w1w S. J. BOWEN, Mayor.

GEN. THOMAS IS SAID TO HAVE RESEMBLED in character, more than any other soldier, the immortal Washington. Call early for the new and beautiful work, "Lossing's Washington," by Lossing, and scores of other works of the Rebellion, Revolution, &c., at HOPKINS', 1331 Pennsylvania avenue.

JUST RECEIVED BY THE FRANKLIN PUBLISHING COMPANY a new supply of those *Superior Show-Cases*, and going at gold factory prices, at 1331 Pennsylvania avenue.

A LARGE SUPPLY OF FOREIGN AND DOmestic Stationery, Initial Note Paper, Blank Books, &c., at low gold prices, at the FRANKLIN BOOKSTORE, 1331 Pennsylvania avenue.

NEW BOOKS—THIRD SUPPLY JUST IN.—"Old Fashioned Girls," "Life now-a-days in its Practicalities in the "Girl of the Period," by the inimitable Louisa M. Alcott; Miss Mulock's "Brookside," Mrs. Edwards' "Archie Lovell," Mrs. Cortelle's Life of Webster; Frenilet Dropping Meanyeard; Dull Hamilton's Battle of the Books; Miss Phelps' Gates Ajar; Dr. Hall's Health by Good Living; Priest and Nun; Barnum's Autobiography; U. S. Dispensatory, last edition; "Brownell," Mason and Hamlin's Cabinet Organs, Harper's edition, &c., &c., &c. Discount to all, and 10 to 20 per cent. save on large purchases. Call and see. FRANKLIN BOOKSTORE, 1331 Pennsylvania avenue.

☞ Orders by mail promptly filled. Send for catalogue of the new and popular Law Books, at a liberal discount. Address the FRANKLIN PUBLISHING COMPANY, 1331 Pennsylvania avenue. apr6-1f

BY GREEN & WILLIAMS,

Auctioneers and Real Estate Brokers, No. 329 southeast corner of Seventh and D sts.

By virtue of a deed of trust from Si Clair Dyer and wife, to the undersigned, trustee, dated on the 20th day of September, 1869, and recorded in Liber S M, No. 3, folios 18, et seq., one of the Land Records for Washington county, I will sell, on MONDAY, the 9th day of May, 1870, in front of the premises, at the hour of 6 o'clock, p. m., all that part of lot of ground in the city of Washington, bounded by Fifth and E streets, and commencing during the week.

Tickets of admission for the season, 25 cents; for the evening, 10 cents; to be obtained at Ballantyne's bookstore, corner of Seventh and D streets, Washington, D. C., and at the door.

For the accommodation of persons from Washington and Georgetown omnibuses will leave Howard's stable and terminus of Seventh-street railroad. The public are respectfully invited to attend.

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A CARD.

OFFICE OF THE GREAT FALLS ICE CO., 1902 F STREET NORTH, April 6, 1870.

The Great Falls Ice Company announce to the citizens of the District that they are prepared to furnish them with ice regularly and punctually during the coming season.

It is well known that our own, as well as all ponds south of New York, failed during the past winter, and therefore the entire supply for all points south of New York must be brought from New England. The consequence is, a short crop and very high prices.

The company is a home company, and was organized for the purpose of furnishing our citizens with pure ice at the lowest reasonable rates, and the public may rest assured the object of our organization will always be carried out, whether we have opposition or not. Our price for next season will be only $4 per ton south of New York, and will fluctuate as little as possible. In fact, small consumers may expect no change at all during the season. To those who consume large quantities daily we have only to say that the rates now established are permanent until the 1st of June, and we intend as much longer as we can continue them without loss. If they are advanced, it will only be during the heat of summer, and then only to keep pace with the increased cost of necessary to cover the increased cost.

Our drivers have instructions to be polite and attentive, and will comply with all reasonable requests. We shall hold them to a strict accountability for all their acts in delivering ice, and will endeavor to repress any unnecessary restriction of duty on their part to the company's office.

Each driver is provided with printed cards, showing the rates for ice, which will be furnished by them when applied for.

J. VAN RISWICK,
President Great Falls Ice Co.

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REGISTRATION OF VOTERS IN THE FIRST WARD.

The undersigned, Judges of Election of the city of Washington, will be in session in the FIRST WARD on MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY, April 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16, at the office of the Commissioner of Improvements, New York avenue, next to corner of Thirteenth street, from 8 to 9 o'clock, p. m., daily, for the purpose of preparing a list of the qualified voters of the aforesaid ward.

Naturalized citizens are by law required to produce certificates of naturalization, or certified copies, or satisfactory proof of their loss.

WM. A. COOK,
THOMAS DONOHO,
JAMES DONALDSON,
ROBERT H. BOWEN,
J. H. CROSSMAN,
apl-3d Judges of Election, Washington, D. C.

THERE WILL BE A MEETING of the Young Republican Club of the second Ward on FRIDAY EVENING, April 8, at Union Hall, Fourteenth street, at 8 o'clock. All the members are expected to be present as business of importance will be brought before them. Eminent speakers will be present.

WILLIAM ROTHERFORD,
Chairman Executive Committee.

LADIES' FAIR AT BRIGHTWOOD, D. C.

The ladies of Brightwood and vicinity will hold a Fair for the purpose of raising funds to liquidate the debt incurred in rebuilding the church edifice known as Emory chapel, M. E. church, which was destroyed during the late civil war.

The Fair will be held in the chapel, on the site of Fort Stevens, Seventh-street road, and open on MONDAY, the 18th instant, at 5 o'clock p. m., and continue during the week.

Tickets of admission for the season, 25 cents; for the evening, 10 cents; to be obtained at Ballantyne's bookstore, corner of Seventh and D streets, Washington, D. C., and at the door.

For the accommodation of persons from Washington and Georgetown omnibuses will leave Howard's stable and terminus of Seventh-street railroad. The public are respectfully invited to attend.

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PEOPLE'S BUILDING ASSOCIATION.

The sixth monthly meeting of the Association, for the payment of dues, will be held at Board of Trade Rooms on MONDAY, 11th instant, at 7½ o'clock. After which time the book will be closed, and stockholders will not be fined if the dues are not paid at the regular meeting night (on the second Monday of each month.)

THOS. HYDE,
Secretary.

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REGISTRATION OF VOTERS IN THE SECOND WARD.

The undersigned, Judges of Election of the city of Washington, will be in session in the SECOND WARD on MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY, April 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16, at the office of the Commissioner of Improvements, New York avenue, next to corner of Thirteenth street, from 8 to 9 o'clock, p. m., daily, for the purpose of preparing a list of the qualified voters of the aforesaid ward.

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OFFICE OF THE NEW JERSEY MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, 191 Market street,

NEWARK, N. J., Nov. 20, 1869.

Notice is hereby given that JOHN T. LIGHTNER is the only authorized Agent of our Company in Washington, and that he is the only one empowered to collect (and such sub-agents as he may appoint to do so.) Premiums on policies and renewals of policies issued by that company.

Home Office: No. 191 Market street, Washington, D. C. CHARLES C. LATHROP,

Secretary.

REPUBLICANS.—A meeting of Republicans in favor of reform will be held at Lincoln Hall on FRIDAY, the 8th instant, at 7 p. m., to organize a Reform Republican or Anti-Bowen Club, and appoint delegates to the Central Reform Republican Committee. George W. Hatton and others will address the meeting. apr6

MEMORIAL PARISH P. E. CHURCH.—At a meeting of the Vestry of this Parish, on the 31st ult., the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That in order to meet the wants of Memorial Parish, and of many strangers and sojourners in the city of Washington, it is expedient to purchase a lot of ground near the Capitol, and erect thereon a substantial church edifice, in which all the seats shall be forever free.

Resolved, That subscription books be opened to obtain the amount necessary to defray the cost of the ground and of the building, and that a committee be appointed to solicit and receive subscriptions for the purpose aforesaid.

Resolved, That these resolutions be published, and that to avoid collections by unauthorized persons, subscribers be requested to send or give their contributions to none but the authorized agents.

(signed) A. FLORIDUS STREET,
Rector of Memorial Parish.
DANIEL CLARKE,
H. NELSON CHAPMAN,
R. W. WALKER,
C. H. DAVIS,
S. D. CHARLES,
Vestrymen.

Under the above resolutions subscription books are open at the Banking House of Jay Cooke & Co., the Real Estate Office of W. T. Johnson, Pennsylvania avenue, the Third street cars, and with Lewis J. Davis, at Lewis Johnson & Co., bankers, corner of Tenth street and Pennsylvania avenue, and the Rector of the parish, and with the following gentlemen, receivers of contributions: Mrs. Capt. Chandler, Mrs. Morris, Miss Mary D. Beale, Mrs. General N. F. Dillman, Mrs. Robert Farnham, Mrs. Admiral J. A. Dahlgren.

NOTICE TO COUNTY TAX PAYERS.

COUNTY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, ROOM 2, OVER THE NAT. BANK, Fifteenth street.

Notice is hereby given that the tax of 1870 is now due and payable, on which for prompt payment there will be allowed at the rate of 10 per cent. during the month of April, eight (8) per cent. during the month of May, and five per cent. during the month of June, after which no deduction will be made. Office days: TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS and SATURDAYS.

JAMES PILLING,
Collector.

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THE BOARD OF CITY ASSESSORS having completed the assessment of Taxable Property, the List of said Valuation and Assessment will be open for inspection from the 1st to the 15th of April, inclusive, (Sundays excepted,) at the office, basement west wing City Hall.

JOSEPH G. CARROLL,
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 31, 1870. apr 3

PENNIES, AND THREE AND FOUR CENT PIECES exchanged for currency at the REPUBLICAN Office. feb16-1m

COUGHLIN'S DRUG STORE, opposite Masonic Temple. Drugs, Medicines, &c., &c., cheaper than any other place.

OFFICERS' PAY ACCOUNTS Cashed by J. H. SAUER, Money Broker, No. 1420 F street, near U. S. Treasury. feb11-6m

Builders and Material.

STONE! STONE!! STONE!!!

Maryland Freestone M. and M. Company

(SENECA QUARRIES.)

Sawed Stone for Ashlar, Window Sills, and Lintels, Platforms, Steps, Water Table, Coping, Post, Pillars, &c., to order.

Rough dimension stone in blocks, Rubble and Rough Sawed Stone, for heavy masonry, in large quantities.

For prices list for 1870, call at office 1420 F street, or at Company's yard, foot K street, Rock creek.

C. W. HAYDEN,
Secretary.

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NEW PLANING MILL.

We would call the attention of LUMBER DEALERS and others to our

MILL,

NEAR FOURTEENTH STREET AND CANAL.

Having fitted it with machinery for PLANING, MATCHING, SAWING and all MILL-WORK GENERALLY, we respectfully solicit a share of patronage.

We also manufacture—

BRACKETS, MOULDINGS, NEWEL POSTS, BALUSTER RAILS, &c., &c.

Hard-wood Doors, Circle and Segmental Head Sash, Inside Shutters, &c., made to order. A good assortment of Building Materials, both at our Store, 202½ Seventh street, opposite Center Market, and at MILL.

REDMAN, COLMAN & CO.,
(Successors to H. W. Hamilton & Co.)
mh15 1m Old Number 868.

JOHN WISE,

OF THE LATE FIRM OF

WISE & CALLAHAN.

BRICKLAYER.

All kinds of Brickwork and Stone Masonry, Jobbing and Repairing, faithfully and promptly done.

Residence, No. 715 First street, Northwest.

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ROOFING!

J. P. NOLAN,

Improved Fire and Water-Proof Felt Composition and Gravel Roofer, rendering walls of houses impervious to dampness, &c. Eighteen Years of practical experience allows me to guarantee superiorities in workmanship, and increased facilities to fill all orders promptly. Work warranted for 15 years, and at only about one half the cost of other roofing.

Felt for sale at my office, old No. 319 (new 631) G street, between Sixth and Seventh streets, and 600 F street, between Fourth and Fifth sts. apr

Special Notices

NOTICE.—AT A STATED MEETING, held on the 1st instant, of the Board of Columbia Paper-hangers' Association the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That all paperhangers in the District be invited to attend a meeting on Monday evening next, at 7:30 o'clock, at J. Gentner's, Eleventh street, below Pennsylvania avenue.

By order of the president.

JOHN T. PATTERSON.

PEOPLE'S BUILDING ASSOCIATION.

The sixth monthly meeting of the Association, for the payment of dues, will be held at Board of Trade Rooms on MONDAY, 11th instant, at 7½ o'clock. After which time the book will be closed, and stockholders will not be fined if the dues are not paid at the regular meeting night (on the second Monday of each month.)

THOS. HYDE,
Secretary.

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REGISTRATION OF VOTERS IN THE SECOND WARD.

The undersigned, Judges of Election of the city of Washington, will be in session in the SECOND WARD on MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY, April 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16, at the office of the Commissioner of Improvements, New York avenue, next to corner of Thirteenth street, from 8 to 9 o'clock, p. m., daily, for the purpose of preparing a list of the qualified voters of the aforesaid ward.

Naturalized citizens are by law required to produce certificates of naturalization, or certified copies, or satisfactory proof of their loss.

WM. A. COOK,
THOMAS DONOHO,
JAMES DONALDSON,
ROBERT H. BOWEN,
J. H. CROSSMAN,
apl-3d Judges of Election, Washington, D. C.

OFFICE OF THE NEW JERSEY MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, 191 Market street,

NEWARK, N. J., Nov. 20, 1869.

Notice is hereby given that JOHN T. LIGHTNER is the only authorized Agent of our Company in Washington, and that he is the only one empowered to collect (and such sub-agents as he may appoint to do so.) Premiums on policies and renewals of policies issued by that company.

Home Office: No. 191 Market street, Washington, D. C. CHARLES C. LATHROP,

Secretary.

REPUBLICANS.—A meeting of Republicans in favor of reform will be held at Lincoln Hall on FRIDAY, the 8th instant, at 7 p. m., to organize a Reform Republican or Anti-Bowen Club, and appoint delegates to the Central Reform Republican Committee. George W. Hatton and others will address the meeting. apr

MEMORIAL PARISH P. E. CHURCH.—At a meeting of the Vestry of this Parish, on the 31st ult., the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That in order to meet the wants of Memorial Parish, and of many strangers and sojourners in the city of Washington, it is expedient to purchase a lot of ground near the Capitol, and erect thereon a substantial church edifice, in which all the seats shall be forever free.

Resolved, That subscription books be opened to obtain the amount necessary to defray the cost of the ground and of the building, and that a committee be appointed to solicit and receive subscriptions for the purpose aforesaid.

Resolved, That these resolutions be published, and that to avoid collections by unauthorized persons, subscribers be requested to send or give their contributions to none but the authorized agents.

(signed) A. FLORIDUS STREET,
Rector of Memorial Parish.
DANIEL CLARKE,
H. NELSON CHAPMAN,
R. W. WALKER,
C. H. DAVIS,
S. D. CHARLES,
Vestrymen.

Under the above resolutions subscription books are open at the Banking House of Jay Cooke & Co., the Real Estate Office of W. T. Johnson, Pennsylvania avenue, the Third street cars, and with Lewis J. Davis, at Lewis Johnson & Co., bankers, corner of Tenth street and Pennsylvania avenue, and the Rector of the parish, and with the following gentlemen, receivers of contributions: Mrs. Capt. Chandler, Mrs. Morris, Miss Mary D. Beale, Mrs. General N. F. Dillman, Mrs. Robert Farnham, Mrs. Admiral J. A. Dahlgren.

NOTICE TO COUNTY TAX PAYERS.

COUNTY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, ROOM 2, OVER THE NAT. BANK, Fifteenth street.

Notice is hereby given that the tax of 1870 is now due and payable, on which for prompt payment there will be allowed at the rate of 10 per cent. during the month of April, eight (8) per cent. during the month of May, and five per cent. during the month of June, after which no deduction will be made. Office days: TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS and SATURDAYS.

JAMES PILLING,
Collector.

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THE BOARD OF CITY ASSESSORS having completed the assessment of Taxable Property, the List of said Valuation and Assessment will be open for inspection from the 1st to the 15th of April, inclusive, (Sundays excepted,) at the office, basement west wing City Hall.

JOSEPH G. CARROLL,
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 31, 1870. apr 3

PENNIES, AND THREE AND FOUR CENT PIECES exchanged for currency at the REPUBLICAN Office. feb16-1m

COUGHLIN'S DRUG STORE, opposite Masonic Temple. Drugs, Medicines, &c., &c., cheaper than any other place.

OFFICERS' PAY ACCOUNTS Cashed by J. H. SAUER, Money Broker, No. 1420 F street, near U. S. Treasury. feb11-6m

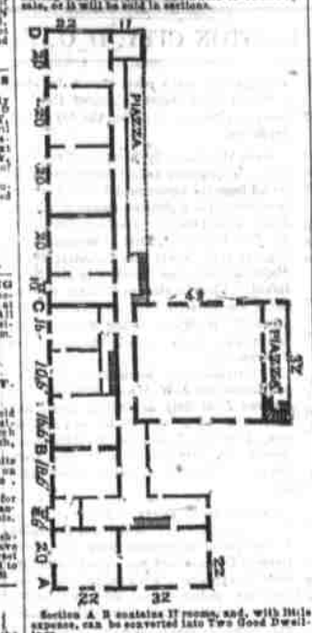
For Sale or Rent.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN!

THE SEMINARY HOTEL,

GEORGETOWN, D. C.,

Running 130 feet on Washington street and 130 feet on way street, in one of the best neighborhoods in the city, high and healthy—three-stories high, with basement, and large three-story back buildings, all of brick. Gas and water throughout the house. The property is in good repair, having a new tin roof. The whole is offered for sale, or it will be sold in sections.



Section A B contains 17 rooms, and, with little expense, can be converted into Two Good Dwellings.

Section B C has 13 rooms and 2 halls, 22x41 each. This would make two Good Dwellings, or 26 rooms adapted for public purposes, such as Schools, &c.

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FOR RENT—HANDSOMELY FURNISHED Rooms, without board, at 230 Indiana avenue.

FOR SALE VERY CHEAP.—ONE BUILDING LOT, containing 3,000 feet of ground. Location west side of Tenth street east, just north of East Capitol street. Title perfect.

W. W. CORCORAN & CO.,

No. 484 cor. New York avenue and 15th st.

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FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE FOR A HOUSE in Washington, 152 acres of heavily-timbered land in Charles county, Md., 20 miles from the Baltimore and Potomac railroad. There is on it a large quantity of timber suitable for railroad ties. Land of fine quality.

T. W. DOWNMAN,
Real Estate Broker,
apr1-eod2w 419 Seventh street, N. W.

FOR RENT OR SALE—TWO BRICK HOUSES, containing six rooms, in a good locality, near the city cars on Ninth street, between C and I streets, Navy Yard. Inquire of LEWIS WARREN, next door. Rent $15 per month. apl-3w*

FOR RENT—HOUSE NO. 922 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, between Ninth and Tenth streets. The house has been thoroughly repaired, has good cellar, hot-house and stable. For terms, apply to JAMES TOWLER, property agent, 1331 F (or number) north of the Patent Office, on 9 street.

FOR SALE UPON REASONABLE TERMS—THE magnificent estate known as the "Narrow Farm," situated on the Bladensburg Turnpike, four miles from Washington, and adjoining the estate of John C. Rives. This is the most complete farm in the District or surrounding country, containing about one hundred and seven acres, improved with two fine mansions, one containing twenty-one rooms, besides three cellar rooms, handsomely papered and finished throughout, the other containing seven rooms, built in the best manner, tenant's house, out-buildings, rail nearly new, containing a fine